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"Give unto the world the best you have and the best will come back to you."

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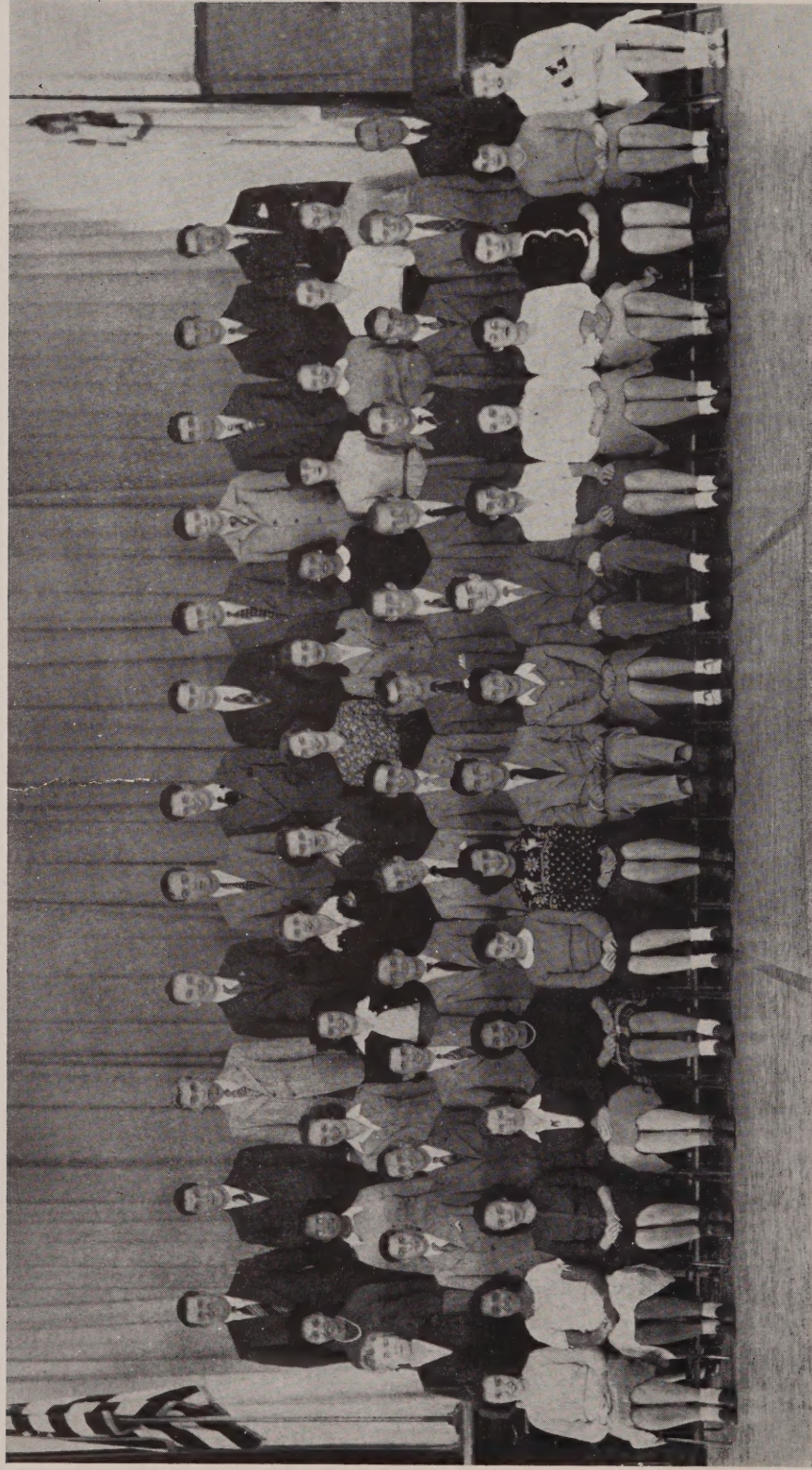
We, the editors, have done our best to present to you in the following pages the means whereby you may recapture the happy memories of the good times and of the many friends you have made at New Bedford Vocational School.



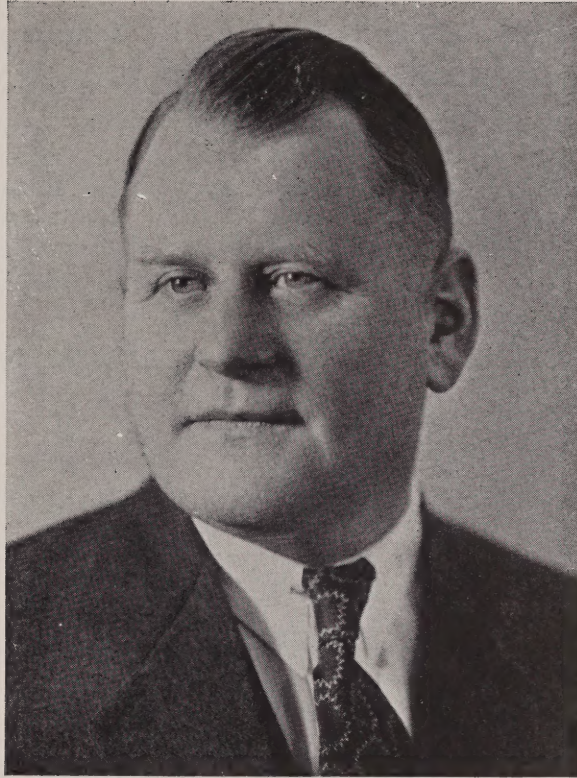
DEDICATION

We, the graduating class of
June, 1945, dedicate this book
to Mr. Charles F. Foley in
sincere and deep appreciation
of his faithful service and
constant loyalty to New Bedford
Vocational School

SENIOR CLASS



First row, left to right—Virginia Furtak, Mary Fortes, Dorothy Diggs, Dorothy Palmer, Angeline Pina, Sally Machado, Katherine Lampos, Lionel Silva, Dorothy Blake, George Cataldo, Olga Barboza, Dolores Caesar, Madeline Weigel, Claire Reardon, Helen Weigel, Phyllis Loomis.
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Director of New Bedford Vocational School

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E. Marion Adshead

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Dorothy E. Burkle	Mildred L. Burkle
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CLASS HISTORY

We entered school in the Fall of 1941, a light-hearted group of boys and girls, eager for knowledge and anxious to know what awaited us.

Shortly after our entrance into school the treacherous Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor threw our nation into a world wide conflict that was to have a great influence on our four years of Vocational School.

Our Freshman and Sophomore years, filled with war activities, quickly passed, and we found ourselves back at school, full-fledged Juniors.

We nominated and elected Class Officers early in September. The results were:

President—"Moon" Mierzejewski.

Vice-President—"Polly" Nickerson (later replaced by "Fran" Chace)

Secretary—Olga Barboza

Treasurer—"Dick" Cataldo, ably assisted by James Cox.

Our Class Advisors were Miss Mary Murphy and Mr. Albert Wobecky.

Early in October, the class started the newcomers on the right foot by holding a reception for the Freshman class.

One of the most successful events of our Junior Year was a Cabaret Dance held February 11. The decorations, in accordance with St. Valentine's Day were unique and every effective.

Our next big event was the Junior Prom on May 5. It was a huge success with a lively orchestra and a happy group of dancers.

Then came our never-to-be forgotten class outing at Paskamansett Skeet Club in North Dartmouth. What a party?! A smattering of rain here and there didn't stop our fun because we alternated between outdoor contests while the sun shone and indoor dancing while it rained.

The Girl's Soft ball team, with the able assistance of Mr. Wobecky and Mr. Foley, defeated the boys in a game that was the sensation of the day. Some very fine but previously hidden talents were discovered that day when Mr. Foley acted as Master of Ceremonies for the "Hamature" show. The entire class feels that it can never fully express its appreciation to Miss Murphy and Mr. Wobecky for the wonderful piece of work they did in guiding our class so efficiently and showing such interest in our affairs.

Come September 1944, we were Seniors, at last! We felt pretty wonderful, too, until we looked around at the few empty seats and remembered our old friends who, not so long ago, were sitting in them. Many of our boys had left to serve their country. In fact by February

all but a few boys had gone into the service. We resolved to carry on as best we could without them and proceeded to elect class officers.

President—"Leo" Silva (later replaced by "Bud" Labonte)

Vice President—Katherine Lamos

Secretary—"Dot" Blake

Treasurer—"Dick" Cataldo (that boy's in the money again)

Our first big hit was a dance with Matt Perry's orchestra. It went over well with a large, jovial crowd.

Then came a lively little Record Hop with more fun and a good attendance. We seem to have been doing all right for ourselves all along.

Before November had passed we had known the agony and excitement of having graduation pictures taken, both individually and as groups. Oh, the suspense of it all! How would they come out?

Next came our Christmas Party with punch, games, crazy gifts for all and that tricky little phonograph.

With Christmas vacation over, we all settled down and started definite plans for the year book.

Chiefly for the sake of the boys who were planning to go into the service in the next few months we scheduled a formal in January. Confidentially we were very glad of the chance to get in an extra formal and we all had a wonderful time.

Everyone is hard at work, now, and half of our Senior Year has gone already. We have great plans to fulfill in the short busy days between now and the time we graduate. Plans for our Prom, Class Day, Outing and other graduation activities predominate, and we sincerely hope that they will all materialize.

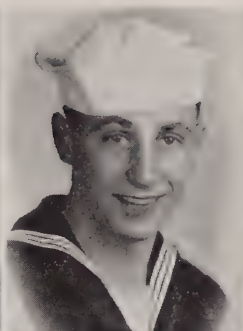
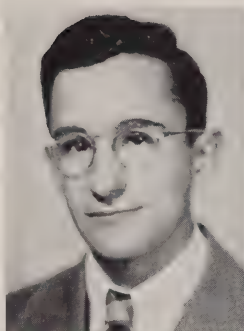
Soon we shall be graduating and leaving Vocational School forever, to take our places in the world. We'll be taking with us more than an education and pleasant memories of our school days. We'll all be leaving with the same great prayer in our hearts. A prayer that there may be a quick and victorious end to the war which has made such an impression on our young lives. We want to see the happy faces of our returning friends, and we want to find a big part to do, each and every one of us, in the reconstruction of an eternally peaceful world through the foundation that Vocational School has give us.

Frances Chace

Eugene Labonte

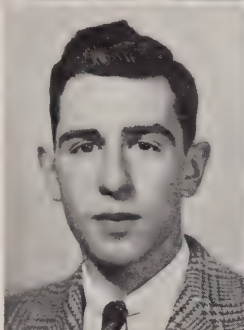


CHARLES A. ALEXANDER, Jr.
 "Chic" Auto
 Roosevelt Jr. High
 Captain of Track Team '44
 Drawing
 Licensed Electrician



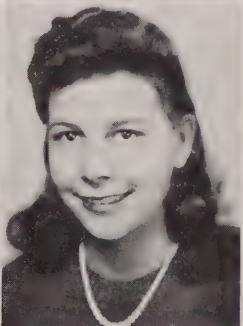
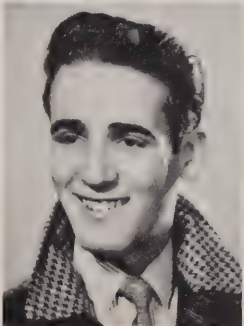
ROBERT BERTRAND
 "Sharkey" Machine Shop
 Normandin Jr. High
 Member of baseball team
 Playing baseball
 1st Class Machinist

EDMUND F. ARRUDA
 "Eddie" Carpentry
 Waterman School
 Class Yearbook Committee, Shop
 Basketball '42
 Hunting, Swimming, Sleeping
 Good Carpenter



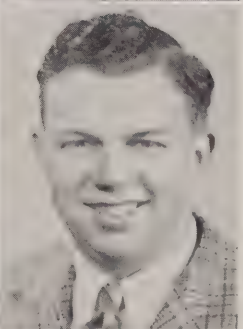
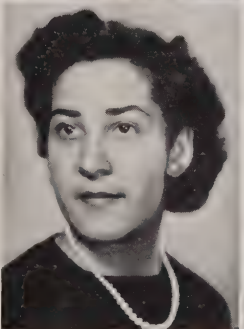
CARL BITTNER
 "Altitude" Welding
 Normandin Jr. High School
 First President of the Welder's
 Swish Union
 Looking at the Moon
 Welding Engineer

LOUIS ARRUDA
 "Ducky" Auto
 Roosevelt Jr. High School
 Baseball
 Sports, Debating with Instructors,
 Hunting for *Wild Game*
 Automotive Engineer



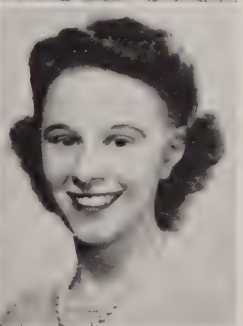
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 Household Arts
 Normandin Jr. High School
 '44-'45 School Reporter, Senior
 Class Secretary '45, Yearbook Staff
 '45, Prom Committee '45, Class
 Day Committee '45
 Skating, Swimming
 Nurse
 "Gifted"

OLGA M. BARBOZA
 Household Arts
 Roosevelt Jr. High School
 Secretary of Junior Class '43, Class
 Gift Committee '45
 Swimming, Dancing, Movies
 Nurse
 "Relicent"



FREDERICK C. BOEHLER
 "Red" Auto
 Mason's Corner School
 Hunting, Sleeping
 To be a Good Mechanic

EILEEN BEAUREGARD
 "Buzzy" Household Arts
 St. Joseph's School
 Secretary of Traffic Squad '43, '44
 Prom Committee '44 and '45
 Tennis, Dancing, Day Dreaming
 Laboratory Technician
 "Ambitious"



DOROTHY BROWN
 "Brownie" Household
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Home Room President '43, Traffic
 Squad '43, School Glee Club '45
 Singing, Dancing, Roller Skating
 Housewife
 "Talented"

JACQUELINE G. BRULE

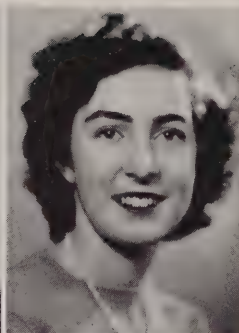
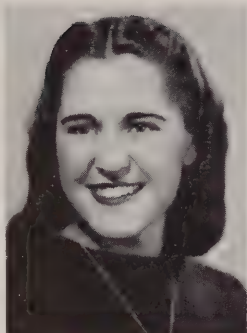
"Jackie" Household Arts
Sacred Heart School

Red Cross President '45, Prom
Committee, President Home Room
'41, Vice President Home Room
'43

Dancing, Horseback Riding, Swim-
ming

Flyer's Wife

"Dignified"



FRANCES L. CHACE

"Franny" Household Arts
Dartmouth High School

Junior Class Vice President '43,
Literary Editor, Yearbook Staff
'45

Sketching, Painting, Bike riding,
Outdoor Sports

Commercial Artist

"Studios"

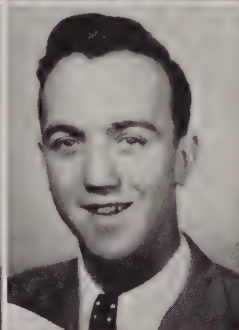
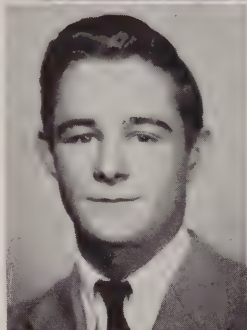
MARCEL F. BURTON

"Marcy" Carpentry
Normandin Jr. High School

Class Yearbook Committee, Foot-
ball '44

Sports, Sleeping

Design and Build a Home



JAMES R. CON

"Jim" Machine Shop
New Bedford High School

Golf Team, Dance Committees

Hunting

Expert Tool and Die Maker

DOLORES CAESAR

"Del" Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School

Dancing, Roller Skating, Bowling

Housewife

"Quiet"



DOROTHY P. DIGGS

"Dot" Household Arts
Clarence A. Cook School

Rep. of Red Cross '43, Class Mot-
to Committee '45

Writing Letters, Singing, Reading

To Succeed

"Calm"

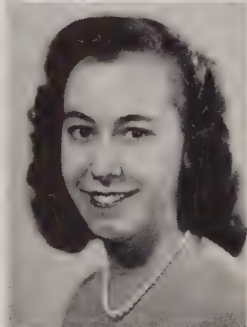
SHIRLEY CARON

Household Arts
Normandin Jr. High School

Bike Riding, Swimming

Beauty Culturist

"Reserved"



ANGELINA FERNANDES

"Grimke" Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School

Picture Taking

Undecided

"Friendly"

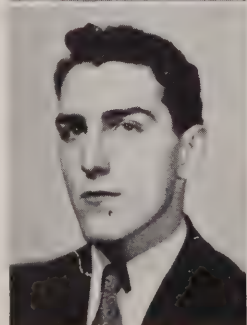
GEORGE R. CATALDO

"Dick" Machine Shop
Clarence A. Cook School

Football '42, '43, Basketball '42,
'44, '45, Baseball '42, '45, Senior
Class Treasurer, Yearbook Staff,
Prom Committee

Piano Playing, Parking, Looking
at the Moon, Drawing

To be a Tool Maker



MARY FORTES

Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School

Yearbook Committee, War Bond
Committee, Socials '44

Tap Dancing, Dancing, Roller

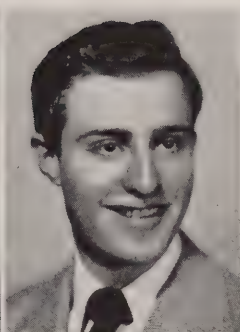
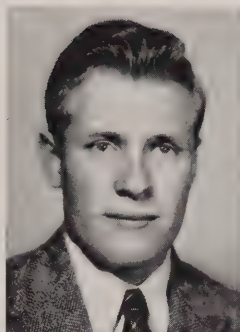
Skating

Sewing Teacher

"Regular"

RICHARD H. FROST

"Frosty" Electrical
Fairhaven High School
Sound Control
Radio
To have a Wife and 6 Kids

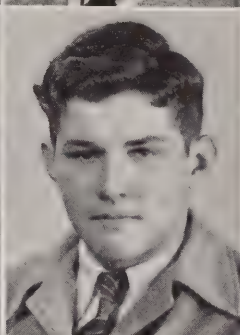


HAROLD GOLDSTEIN

"Goldy" Welding
Normandin Jr. High School
Photography
To be successful

VIRGINIA M. FURTAK

"Ginny" Household Arts
Normandin Jr. High School
Vice President Home Room '42,
'43, '44, '45, Superlative Committee
'45, Ad Committee '45, Camera
Committee '45, Social '44
Bowling, Dancing, Skating
To be a success
"Sociable"

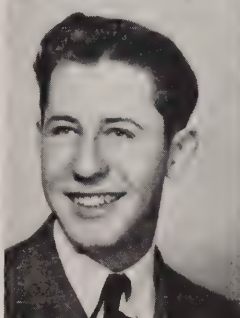


RALPH E. GURNEY, Jr.

"Lucky" Auto
Mason's Corner School
Hunting, Fishing
To drive in the 500 mile Indian-
apolis Races

DAN GABRIEL

"D. G." Industrial Design
Mt. Pleasant School
Yearbook Committee, Social '44
Hunting, Swimming, Ice Skating,
Hiking
Commercial Artist

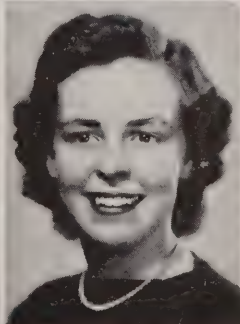
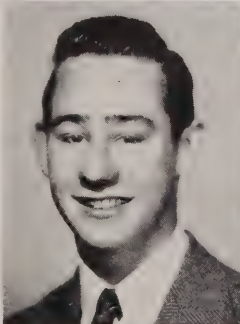


FLORENCE A. HARTLEY

Household Arts
Thomas R. Rodman
President '43, Traffic Chief, Class
Outing, Christmas Party Com.
Sports and Dancing
Beautician
"Jolly"

WALTER GAJ

"Joe" Machine Shop
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Football '43, '44
Swimming, Sports
Machinist

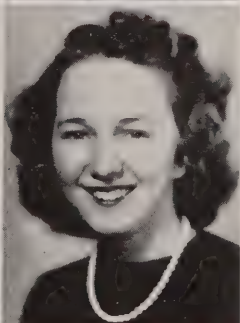


JEAN A. HEWITT

"Jeannie" Household Arts
New Bedford High School
Traffic Squad '42, Secretary Stu-
dent Council '44, Dance Committee
'42, '43, '44
Bowling, Knitting
To be a success
"Bright"

DONALD R. GAUDETTE

"Waldo" Power
Normandin Jr. High School
Manager Football '41, '42, '43,
Manager Baseball '42
Sports
Engineer

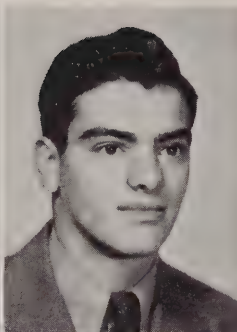
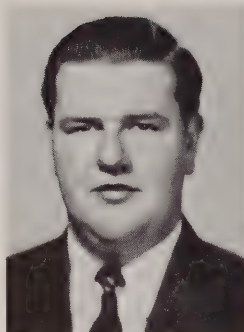


GLORIA HIRST

"Glory" Household Arts
Mt. Pleasant School
Red Cross '42, Student Council
'45, Traffic Squad '44, '45, Prom
Committee '45
Skating, Dancing, Bowling
Nurse
"Sweet"

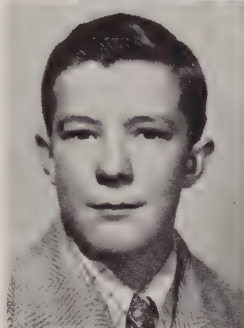
RAYMOND JANACEK

"Lefty" Machine Shop
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Reading Western Stories
 Machinist



STEPHEN LEON

"Greek" Machine Shop
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Football '42, '43, '44, Track '43,
 Basketball '44, '45
 Sports
 Toolmaker



ALBERT JEFFERSON

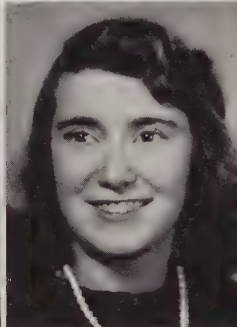
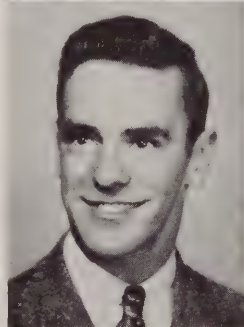
"Bud" Carpentry
 Waterman School
 Hunting, Fishing
 Contractor

PHYLLIS L. LOOMIS

"Phyl" Household Arts
 Roosevelt Jr. High School
 Cheerleader '42, '43, Head Cheer-
 leader '44, President Student Coun-
 cil '44, Dance Committee '43, '44,
 Jr. Red Cross Rep. '42, '43
 Commercial Artist
 "Artistic"

EUGENE W. LABONTE

"Buddy" Electrical
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Football '43, '44, Dance Committee
 '44
 Bowling
 Electrical Engineer

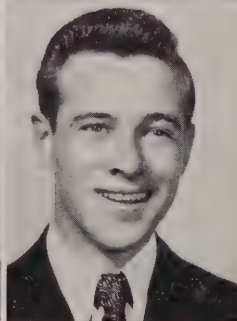
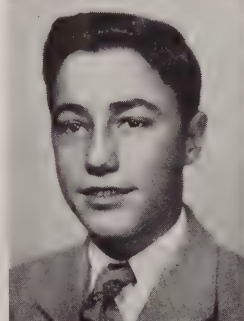


SERAPHINA MACHADO

"Sally" Household Arts
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Class Treasurer '42, '43
 Live, Love and Laugh
 Nurse
 "Happy-go-lucky"

WESLEY E. LAKE

"Puddle" Industrial Design
 Parker Street School
 Christmas Party Committee
 Hockey, All other Sports, Women
 Architect

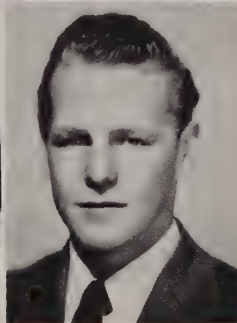
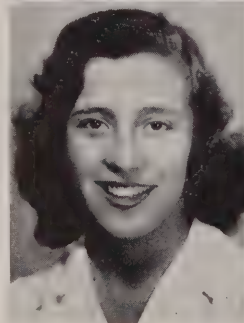


JOHN MCCOY

"Mac" Carpentry
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Yearbook Committee
 Stamp Collecting
 To become a Construction Engineer

KATHERINE J. LAMPOS

"Kat" Household Arts
 Mt. Pleasant School
 Vice President Senior Class, Socials
 '43, '44, Editor of Yearbook '45,
 Senior Harvest Dance '44, Student
 Council Dance Chairman '44, Sr.
 Prom. Com. '45, Red Cross Rep.
 '43
 Bowling, Dancing and Reading
 Anesthetist in Hospital
 "Clever"

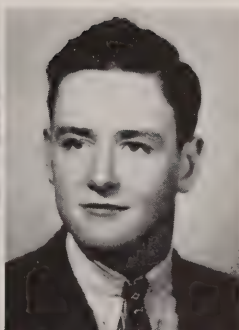
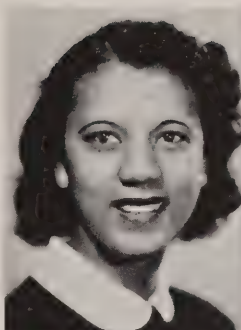


HAROLD J. MCKNIGHT

"Mac" Machine Shop
 New Bedford High School
 Yearbook Staff, Shop Basketball '43
 Skating, Swimming
 Machinist

PAULINE MONTEIRO

"Mont" Household Arts
Marion Jr. High School
President Home Room '43, Outing
Committee '45, Superlative Commit-
tee '45, Red Cross Rep. '42, '43,
Social '44
Dancing and Sports
To succeed in life
"Comical"

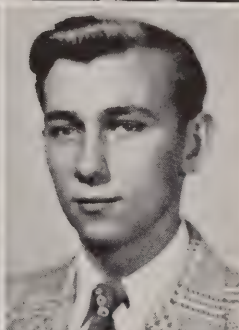
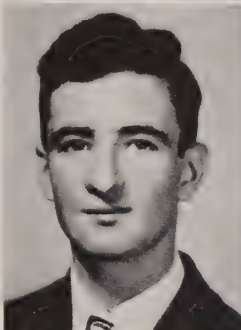


JOHN KENNETH POLLARD

"Johnny" Machine Shop
Roosevelt Jr. High School
Junior Red Cross
Sailing, Swimming, Skating
Making good in life

PAUL MURRAY

"Irish" Machine Shop
Holy Name
Yearbook Staff, Shop Basketball '43
Bowling, Ice Skating
Tool and Die Maker

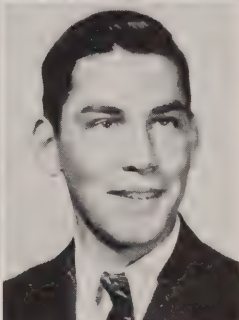
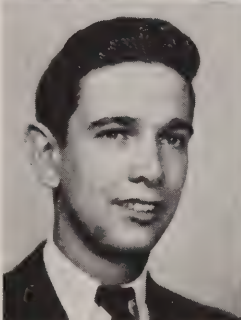


STEPHEN J. POPIELARZ

"Pop" Welding
Roosevelt Jr. High School
Eating Apple Pie with Ice Cream
Welding Engineer

RUFUS S. PAINE

"Paine" Machine Shop
Job S. Gidley School
Sports, Ice Hockey, Golf
To be a Machinist

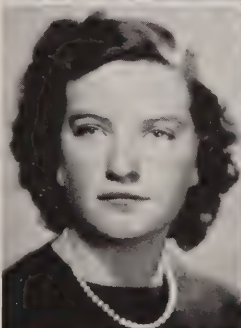


NORBERT A. RAYMOND

"Knobby" Carpentry
Steinway Jr. High School No. 141,
New York
Football '44
Hunting, Reading, Swimming
Design and Build my Own Home

DOROTHY S. PALMER

"Dot" Household Arts
Rochester Waterman Grammar
School
Outing Committee '45, Red Cross
Representatives '43, Traffic Squad
'42
Sewing, Stamp Collecting
Dressmaker
"Humorous"



CLAIRE ANN REARDON

Household Arts
New Bedford High School
Red Cross '43, Cheerleader '42,
Socials '43, '44, Rep. Student Coun-
cil '43
Bowling, Swimming
To be a success
"Cordial"

ANGELINE PINA

"Lillie" Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School
Class Day Committee '45
Dancing, Sewing
Beautician
"Dependable"

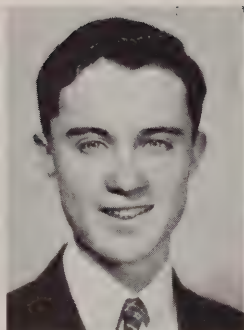


MARIA ROCHA

"Mary" Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School
Red Cross Representation '44, '45
Making scrapbook of all kinds
Dressmaker
"Reliable"

THOMAS ROBINSON

"Tom" Electrical
Normandin Jr. High School
Attended Boys State
Bowling, Swimming
Electrician Engineer



EVELYN PAULINE SOWA

"Eve" Household Arts
Normandin Jr. High School
Red Cross Treasurer '44, '45
Roller Skating, Dates
Nursing
"Pleasant"

EDWINA ROLAK

"Wynne" Household Arts
Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Bowling, Reading
Secretary
"Shy"

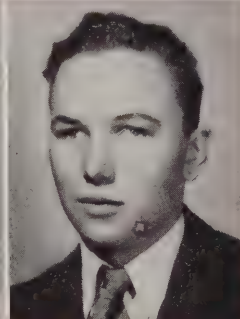
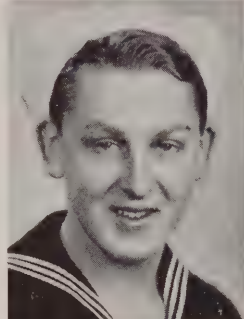


SHIRLEY SPOONER

"Lee" Household Arts
Normandin Jr. High School
Home Room President '42
Dancing, Roller Skating
Housewife
"Heartly-laugh"

HENRY L. SAWICKI

"Cupid" Machine
Normandin Junior High
Chewing toothpicks
Bachelor (so he says)

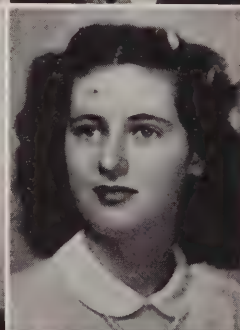
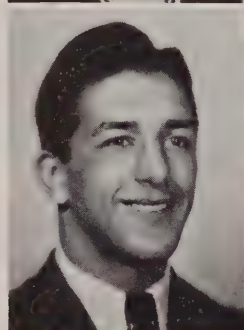


FERDINAND F. SZYNCLAR

"Fred" Carpentry
Normandin Jr. High School
Christmas Party Committee
Swimming, Sailing, Skating
Carpenter Contractor

LIONEL P. SILVA

"Leo" Machine Shop
Betsey B. Winslow School
Basketball '42, '43, '44, '45, Baseball '43, '44, Football '43, '44, Co-Captain in '44, Yearbook Staff, President of Senior Class, Prom Committee
Dancing, Sports
Machine Shop Instructor



COLLEEN A. THOMAS

"Tommy" Household Arts
Normandin Jr. High School
Socials '43, '44, Red Cross Rep. '43, Student Counsel Treasurer, Book Staff Committee '45
Dancing, Swimming
To Succeed
"Soft-spoken"

RUTH M. SOULE

"Rut-te-do" Household Arts
New Bedford High School
Class Gift Committee '45, Red Cross Rep. '44, Traffic Squad '42, '43
Dancing, Art, Bowling
Dressmaker
"Excited"

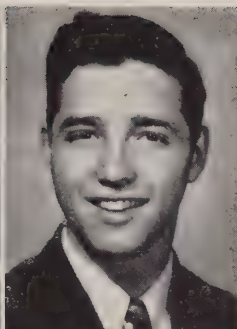


ANNA J. THORNHILL

Household Arts
Roosevelt Jr. High School
Yearbook Committee, Junior Class Outing, Red Cross Rep. '42, '43, Socials '44
Bowling, Skating
To be a Success
"Cheery"

HELEN L. WEIGEL

"Wiggle" Household Arts
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Yearbook, Dance Committee, Traffic Squad
 Dancing and Sports
 Beautician
 "Fervacious"

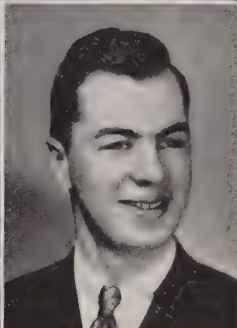


ROBERT C. WILLISTON

"Willie" Electrical
 Mason's Corner School
 Yearbook Business Manager
 Bowling and Necking
 Electrician Contractor

MADELYNE E. WEIGEL

"Midge" Household Arts
 Waterman School
 Ice Skating, Roller Skating, Riding and Making Scrapbooks of people I know.
 Like to be a Nurse
 "Good Natured"



OTTO YEHLE

"Hank" Drafting
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Dance Committee '43, '44
 Dancing, Bowling, Fishing, Swimming, Pigeon Fancier
 Expert Mechanical Draftsman

Camera Shy

EDMUND BATOR

"Eddie" Electrical
 Normandin Jr. High School
 Basketball '43, Took pictures in school
 Bowling and Swimming

FREDERICK KALIZ

Machine Shop
 Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Bowling
 Toy making
 First Class Machinist

JAMES REGO

"Jim" Auto
 Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 Bass Violin, Sports
 To be a success



These Titles Remind Us Of

Dinner At Eight	Senior Banquet
A Song To Remember	Vocational School Song
The Very Thought Of You	Algebra Class
Out of This World	Senior Prom
The Gang's All Here	The Seniors
Together Again	Jean and Staf
The Master Race	Machine Shop
Angels With Dirty Faces	Power Department
Johnnie Come Lately	Gloria Hirst
Lassie Come Home	Henry Sawicki
Best Foot Forward	Ruth Soule
Mr. Big	Norbert Raymond
Watch On The Rhine	Traffic Squad
Cover Girl	Dorothy Diggs
Meet Miss Bobby Socks	Colleen Thomas
The Human Comedy	George Cataldo
Can't Help Singing	Dorothy Brown
Follow The Boys	Dorothy Blake
Here Comes The Navy	Eilleen Beauregard
Let's Face It	Pauline Monteiro
The Devil Rider	Harold McKnight
Stand By For Action.....	Katherine Lampos
Men From Down Under	Welding Department
For Me An My Gal	John Pollard
I Will Always Remember	Claire Reardon, Robert Williston
What A Life	Virginia Furtak
Lady In The Dark	Helen Weigel
My Pal Wolfe	Wesley Lake
Career Girl	Frances Chace
Fantasia	James Cox
Solid Sender	Louis Arruda
Murder in The Nursery	Anna Thornhill

CLASS WILL

We, the members of the Senior Class of Nineteen Hundred and Forty-five of the New Bedford Vocational School of the City of New Bedford, the County of Bristol and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being of sound mind and memory, (we hope) do hereby, solemnly make our last will and testament. We collectively and individually bequeath the following:

To Mr. Mac we express our profound thanks and appreciation for the deep interest he has given us in the last four years.

To Miss Early we express our regret that we haven't known her longer.

To the faculty, our respect, gratitude, and appreciation for their untiring efforts in our behalf.

To our class advisors, Miss Cunningham and Mr. Wilson, we leave our sincere thanks for their cooperation in making our Senior year a success.

To Miss Murphy and Mr. Wobecky we extend our deepest gratitude and appreciation.

To Miss Goggin and Miss Cunningham we extend our gratitude for their interest in helping us make our class book successful.

The Senior girls leave wishing they could have heard more of Mrs. Wilson's experiences.

To the Juniors we leave the admirable title of Seniors.

To the Sophomores the right to be rated as upper classmen.

To the Freshman the privilege of obeying the laws as well as the Seniors did.

Dorothy Palmer leaves her success in sewing to her sister.

Eugene Labonte leaves his signal calling to Art Grimley.

Florence Hartley leaves Miss Knapp with a few more gray hairs.

Robert Bertrand leaves his pitching duties on the mound to little Jimmy O'Brien.

Dorothy Brown leaves Mr. Wobecky without a star singer.

George Cataldo leaves his spinach sandwiches to anyone who enjoyed them as much as he did.

Angelina Fernandes leaves her giggles to her sister Hilda.

Walter Gaj leaves the football team an extra seat on the bench.

Colleen Thomas leaves her coat-hangers to Bernadette Benoit.

Raymond Janacek leaves the machine shop with more room to work in.

Eileen Beauregard leaves her parading around to the next wandering Senior.

Stephen Leon leaves Mr. Mac with a hospital bill.

Jacqueline Brule leaves her art of chewing gum without getting caught to the next smart Senior.

Harold McKnight leaves a good parking space for the next hunk of junk.

Frances Chace leaves her scholastic ability to Hilda Timmer.

Paul Murray leaves his bashfulness with the girls to Joe Martin.

Phyllis Loomis leaves Miss Baker without an artist.

Rufus Paine leaves that long ride from Dartmouth to any other farmer.

Dorothy Diggs leaves her sophistication to Irene Paulette.

John Pollard leaves Mr. Moore without a good machinist.

Angelina Pina and Maria Fortes leave still tap dancing.

Henry Sawicki leaves with a toothpick in his mouth.

Mary Rocha leaves her shyness (we hope).

Otto Yehle leaves his drag with Mr. A. P. Whipple to Costa of Drafting.

Pauline Monterio leaves all of the patience and skill that she didn't display in cooking class to Mrs. Oldfield.

Louis Arruda leaves his good looks to any Junior who wishes to have it.

Madeline Weigel leaves her sewing problems to Miss Cunningham.

Thomas Robinson leaves his sheet metal for Steve DeTerra to cut circles in.

Jean Hewitt leaves with Staff Lewis waiting for her.

Charles Alexander leaves his speed on the track team to Souza of Electrical.

Evelyn Sowa leaves her neatness to Barbara Anthony.

Robert Williston leaves expecting to get on admiral's rating.

Claire Reardon leaves, in hopes of being a good cook.

James Cox leaves night school without a good teacher.

Helen Weigel leaves wishing she could make up her mind.

Richmond Frost leaves Mr. Wobecky without a good electrician.

Ruth Soule leaves her big feet for anybody unbalanced (not mentally).

Daniel Gabriel leaves Mr. Kenworthy worrying.

Gloria Hirst leaves hoping Johnny leaves with her.

Wesley Lake leaves his architectural work to Bob Johnson.

Dorothy Blake leaves wishing she could take all the boys with her.

Marcel Burton leaves Martha Manley lonely.

Sally Machado leaves in hopes.

John McCoy leaves.

Edwina Rolak leaves her nylons to whoever can get them.

Lionel Silva leaves Harriet McGuire lonely.

James Rego leaves to join the Navy.

Shirley Caron leaves her meekness to Margaret McKenna.

Carl Bittner leaves his love for the opposite sex to another woman-hater.

Dolores Caesar leaves in hopes of future marriage.
 Frederick Boehler leaves his Model A to the Auto Dept. Mechanics.
 Anna Thornhill wonders how she is leaving.
 Ralph Gurney leaves to enter the Midget Auto Race.
 Shirley Spooner leaves her innocent manner to anyone who can copy it.
 Eddie Arruda leaves the carpentry shop with a little less noise.
 Virginia Furtak leaves Mr. Tabor to do his own turning.
 Olga Barboza leaves her quiet and unassuming manner.
 Ferdinand Szyndlar leaves Mr. Slocum???
 Katherine Lamos leaves Miss Early with a worn out rug.
 Nobert Raymond leaves his roof framing to Joe Cordiero.
 Harold Goldstein leaves to join the Waves.
 Stephen Popielarz leaves smiling.
 Donald Gaudette leaves his grass-cutting to Junior Palmeira.
 Albert Jefferson leaves carpentry quietly as usual.
 Edmund Bator leaves the girls of N. B. V. S. to explore new territory.
 Frederick Kalisz leaves hoping for the best.
 This last will and testament was signed sealed and delivered on January 19, 1945 by

Lionel Silva
 Helen Weigel



SOCIAL NOTES

Events outstanding in our Senior year.

October:

Senior Dance—Matt Perry's
 Orchestra
 Senior Record Hop

December:

Record Hop
 Christmas Tea
 Christmas Party

January:

Mid-Winter Formal—Bayreuther's Orchestra

March:

V. A. A. Dance—Bayreuther's
 Orchestra

April:

Student Council Talent Show
 and Dance

May:

Spring Dance

June:

Senior Outing
 Class Day
 Graduation
 Prom

SUPERLATIVES

Boys

Louis Arruda	<i>Best Dressed</i>
Marcel Burton	<i>Best Natured</i>
James Cox	<i>Best Dancer</i>
Louis Arruda	<i>Best Looking</i>
Thomas Robinson	<i>Class Politician</i>
Robert Williston	<i>Class Romeo and Juliet</i>
John McCoy	<i>Class Dreamer</i>
Raymond Janacek	<i>Meekest</i>
Otto Yehle	<i>Most Dignified</i>
Lionel Silva	<i>Most Athletic</i>
Robert Raymond	<i>Most Likely to Succeed</i>
George Cataldo	<i>Most Popular</i>
Harold McKnight	<i>Most Reserved</i>
Kenneth Pollard	<i>Most Industrious</i>
Ferdinand Szyndlar	<i>Most Ambitious</i>
Daniel Gabriel	<i>Most Artistic</i>
Lionel Silva	<i>Most Domineering</i>
Eugene Labonte	<i>One who did most for Vocational</i>
Albert Jefferson	<i>Quietest</i>
Wesley Lake	<i>Shortest</i>
George Cataldo	<i>Tallest</i>
Edward Graham	<i>Wittiest</i>
Robert Bertrand	<i>Most Musical</i>

Girls

Evelyn Sowa
Florence Hartley
Mary Fortes
Gloria Hirst
Katherine Lampos
Claire Reardon
Jean Hewitt
Olga Barboza
Jacqueline Brule
Phyllis Loomis
Frances Chace
Colleen Thomas
Anna Thornhill
Maria Rocha
Virginia Furtak
Phyllis Loomis
Florence Hartley
Dorothy Blake
Edwina Rolak
Sally Machado
Ruth Soule
Pauline Monteiro
Dorothy Blake
Helen Weigel
Dorothy Brown



Just arrived, Phyllis Loomis and Leonard Dutra

Senior Mid Winter Formal

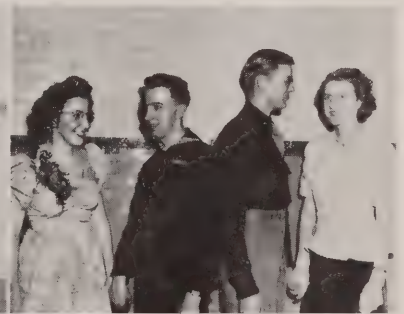
The annual mid-winter formal was held at Hammond Auditorium on January 12. Although the weather was at its worst, the formal was a success. The rhythmic music of Bayreuther's Orchestra set the pace for a perfect evening. The girls in their entrancing gowns and their escorts in tuxedos formed a pleasing back ground.

When Audrey Lonergan, vocalist, sang her final selection, the crowd agreed that it was a most successful evening.

Enjoying the music and vocalist



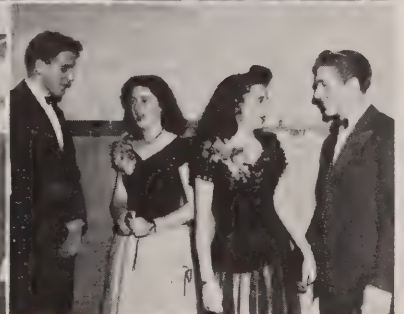
Sitting this one out



*Servicemen and their young ladies of
the evening*



Chatting at intermission



In the Service of Our Country



AUTOMOBILE DEPT.

Allain, Roger
Almeida, Fernando
Alves, Americo
Alves, Edward
Anesti, Ernest
Araujo, Americo
Banks, John
Banville, Gerard
Bardsley, George
Barker, Ernest
Baron, Walter
Beardsworth, John
Beaty, Carl
Bernier, Donat
Bettencourt, Antone
*Bettencourt, John
Blower, Alan
Bock, Roland
Bogdziewicz, Edward
Boucher, Raymond
Brie, Raymond
Brightman, George
Brightman, Philip
Brown, Herbert
Burgo, Arthur
Chapdelaine, Robert
Chmiel, Stephen
Cohen, Coleman
Conlan, Thomas
Conquest, George
Constantine, Thomas
Costa, Anthony
Costa, Ernest
Costa, Odete
Cote, Donald
Czaplicki, Stanley
DeCosta, William
DeMello, Leonard
Devitt, Mark
Dexter, Alvin
Donth, Clifford
Doyle, Clinton
Doyle, Leonard
Draus, Alexander
Drazen, Milton
Duffy, Robert

Edmundson, Charles
Ellis, Herbert
Ferreira, Charles
Finacchi, Silvino
Finch, Stanley
Fitzsimmons, Kenneth
Flint, Lewis
Fortes, Antone
Fortuna, Manuel
Freitas, Aurelio
Gendron, Rene
George, Henry
*Gerardi, Anthony
*Gifford, Alwyn
Gobeil, Normand
Godlewski, Victor
Goldstein, Ralph
Gonsalves, Manuel
Gray, Frederick
Gray, Leonard
Greenwood, Raymond
Hampson, Joseph
Hollis, James
Hopkinson, Stanley
Humphrey, Horace
Izdepski, John
Jarosik, Edward
Jasinski, Boleslaus
Jepson, Frank
Kawalec, Theodore
Kearney, Bernard
Kenyon, Joseph
Kenyon, Nicholas
King, Francis
Kober, Gerhardt
Kolz, John
Kowalski, Anthony
Kozlowski, Herman
Ladner, Henderson
Lake, Calvin
Lamb, Warren
Lambalot, Robert
Langton, Donald
Lawrence, Antone
LeBlanc, Maurice
LeBlanc, Philomen

Leger, Alfred
Lehner, William
LePage, Henry
Lepire, Raymond
Lepire, Roland
Linton, Charles
Livsey, Thomas
Loranger, Adrien
Macomber, Gilbert
Mahoney, Vernon
Mailloux, Marcel
Mallowes, Howard
Marchisio, Richard
Martin, Arthur
Martin, Donald
Martin, John
Medeiros, Edmund
Medena, Raymond
Mello, Arthur
Mendes, Carlos
Mendoza, Edward
Mikus, Raymond
*Miller, Hugh
Modesto, Arthur
Monteiro, John
Monteiro, Pedro
Monteiro, Peter
Monty, George
Moore, Daniel
Morey, Francis
Neary, Stephen
O'Brien, James
Oliveira, Victor
Olszewski, Leonard
Orlowski, Frank
Ostrander, Floyd
Ouellette, Dana
Panagakos, Louis
Paulhus, Arthur
Pepin, Norman
Perry, Edward
Perry, Walter
Peters, Edward
Pickens, Danie
Pimental, Manuel
Pina, August

Pires, Horace
Potter, Charles
Purcell, Richard
Raymond, Robert
Reed, Kenneth
Rego, James
Roberts, Louis
Roderick, Milton
Rose, Benjamin
Rose, Frank
Rose, Lawrence
Rose, Richard
Roy, Raymond
Salts, Charles
Saucier, Alfred
Saulnier, Hervey
Schellenberg, Roland
Shaw, Allen
Sherman, Franklyn
Smith, Robert
Soares, Bernard
Soule, Granville
Spooner, Allen
Stevens, Leonard
Steward, Robert
Sylvia, Donald
Sylvia, Edward
Tatro, John
Texeira, Lewis
Thackeray, Robert
Thompson, James
Tremblay, George
Trojak, Joseph
Urbanek, Edward
VanZandt, Robert
Vosseler, Charles
Walecka, George
Watts, Aime
West, Roger
Westgate, Stanley
Williams, Rhodes
Wilson, Herbert
Wisniewski, Joseph
Zaiac, Mieczyslaw

DRAFTING DEPT.

Bellavance, Roland
Bernier, William
Cataldo, Edward
Cobb, Vernon

Cunliffe, James
Dean, John
deSa, Manuel
Eaton, Earl

Gendron, Norman
Janiak, Teddy
Johnson, Robert
*Latham, Gordon

Lavalette, Elwyn
Milos, Fred
Perry, Robert
Rolnick, Edward
Urban, Walter

ELECTRICAL DEPT.

Allen, William
Almeida, Antone
Alves, Robert
Anthony, Luther
Avilla, Joseph

Baldwin, Benjamin
Barboza, Ernest
Baron, Alexander
Baron, George
Bator, Edmund

Belli, Ernest
Bennett, Gordon
Bernier, Gerard
Besette, Raymond
*Bielski, Joseph

Black, George
Blais, Arthur
Blecha, Vincent
Bolduc, Roland
Booth, Ronald

**Died in action*

Bowden, Joseph
 Briggs, Carlton
 Brightman, Brownell
 *Brightman, Edward
 Britto, John
 Bryant, Alfred
 Bulgar, Joseph
 Buttermore, Albert
 Carneiro, Antone
 Carrier, Milton
 Carvalho, Antone
 Cassidy, John
 Cloutier, Roland
 Comstock, Ralph
 Copach, Edmond
 Cormier, Edward
 Cormier, Herve
 Cormier, Louis
 Cornwell, George
 Correia, Earl
 Correia, Frank
 Costa, Joseph
 Cournoyer, Aurele
 Couto, Leo
 Crompton, Morris
 Cronan, Lawrence
 Crosby, Joseph
 Crosby, Sumner
 Curran, James
 Darmofal, Joseph
 Davis, Earl
 Dayton, Clarence
 Dayton, Fred
 DeBorteli, Angelo
 Demers, Hector
 Desjardins, Charles
 DeTerra, Victor
 Doran, John
 Dowd, Robert
 Dumont, Normand
 Durocher, George
 Dwelly, George
 Eastwood, Ronald
 Ellis, John
 Feeney, Raymond
 Feldon, William
 Forand, Raymond
 Francis, George
 Fredette, Alfred
 French, Fred

Frizado, Joseph
 Furtado, Vincent
 Gacek, Mitchell
 Gannon, Charles
 Garcia, Frank
 Gaudette, Charles
 Gautreau, Henry
 George, Benjamin
 Gilmore, John
 Girard, Andrew
 Goyette, Emile
 Grasela, Joseph
 Gray, Russell
 Grew, Earl
 Grochmal, John
 Gula, Michael
 Gwozdz, Stephen
 Handy, Elmer
 Handy, Lyman
 Hardy, Douglas
 Hauver, Elwin
 Hebert, Henry
 Holden, James
 Hougasian, Lincoln
 Houtman, Clifford
 Isherwood, Milton
 Izyk, Joseph
 Jonopoulos, Nicholas
 Jukes, Walter
 Jupin, Joseph
 Kean, Francis
 Kelley, Richard
 Kenworthy, Llewellyn
 Kougias, George (P. W.)
 Kozaczka, George
 Kutin, Solomon
 Lawrence, Lionel
 Leary, Arthur
 LeBlanc, Herve
 LeClaire, Arthur
 Ledoux, Joseph
 Lewis, Ernest
 Lienard, Robert
 Loan, Joseph
 Logan, Edward
 Loring, Lester
 Lynch, Francis
 Machnik, Joseph
 MacKenzie, Kenneth
 MacMullen, Raymond

Marques, Joaquim
 Marshall, Richard
 Martin, Armand
 Martins, Antonio
 McKay, Ernest
 McKenna, Alfred
 Medeiros, Leonard
 Mello, Antone
 Mello, Manuel
 Mendonca, Amadeu
 Messier, Bertram
 Metivier, Edmund
 Midurski, Frank
 Monty, Leo
 Moreau, Eugene
 Morris, Edward
 Morse, Rodney
 Muldoon, Francis
 Mullarkey, John
 Mulroy, James
 Murray, Bernard
 Murray, Hugh
 *Nault, Raymond
 Nicoloff, Constantin
 Normandin, Rene
 O'Leary, Arthur
 Oliver, Joseph
 Ollivierre, James
 O'Malley, Michael
 O'Neil, Frederick
 Palmer, Francis
 Paradise, George
 Parker, George
 Paul, Stanley
 Peirce, Frederick
 Pereira, Augustinho
 Pereira, Seraphine
 Perkins, Donald
 Petty, Charles
 Phinney, Waldo
 Poirier, Maurice
 Poirier, Raymond
 Pola, Carlo
 Potter, Theodore
 Power, Lawrence
 Preece, Curtis
 Rainville, Louis
 Randall, George
 Reed, Arthur
 Rhodes, William

Ribeiro, Frank
 Riley, Winston
 Rioux, Joseph
 Rivet, Normand
 Roberti, Henry
 Roberts, Gordon
 Roberts, Norman
 Robinson, Thomas
 Robitaille, Jean
 Rogers, Earl
 Rogers, George
 Roy, Norman
 Ryder, Albert
 Sadowski, Boleslaw
 Salvail, Roland
 Sevigny, Edward
 Sheehan, William
 Sherman, William
 Shing, Jean
 Short, James
 Slocum, Harold
 Smith, George
 Smith, George
 Smith, William
 Stebenne, Oscar
 Stewardson, Kenneth
 Sumner, Chester
 Sweeny, Luke
 Sweet, George
 Sweet, Roland
 Sylvia, Joseph
 Thompson, Donald
 *Thompson, George
 Tillotson, Walter
 Tripp, Malcolm
 Turgeon, Donald
 Turner, Richard
 Turpin, Frederick
 Unwin, Randall
 Veary, Leo
 Waine, Robert
 Whewell, Edward
 *White, John
 Whitlow, Louis
 Williston, Robert
 Witkos, Walter
 Zych, Walter

INDUSTRIAL DESIGN DEPT.

Beaumont, Fred
 Caron, Euclide
 Caron, George
 Cordeira, Michael
 Cree, Donald
 DeLacy, Herbert
 DePiro, Benjamin

Gabriel, Daniel
 Gibson, John
 Goodman, Alfred
 Green, George
 Jeffries, Albert
 Kut, John
 Lafrancois, Donald

Langlois, Norman
 Letourneau, Paul
 Lord, Ernest
 Mandly, Leslie
 McQuirk, Richard
 Monjeau, Gerald
 Parker, William

Pasieka, Walter
 Poirier, Marc
 Pye, George
 Sevigny, Marcel
 Shing, Jean On
 Texeira, Charles
 Worsley, Richard

CARPENTRY DEPT.

Alberski, Joseph
 Arabasz, Boleslaw
 Aubrey, August
 Babineau, Edward
 Baron, Chester
 Barros, Alfred
 Baumann, John
 Beroski, Matthew
 Best, George

Bibby, William
 Boardman, Robert
 Bourne, Roger
 Bradley, Clinton
 Braley, Altotn
 Buckley, Harry
 Buckley, William
 Bulgar, Clifton
 Bzdyra, Alexander

*Carney, James
 Chappell, William
 Charron, Daniel
 Coakley, Joseph
 Coggeshall, Carlton
 Contardo, Carmine
 Cook, Rodney
 Cooper, John
 Correia, Arnold

Costa, Antone
 Crossley, Harry
 Crumbleholme, William
 DeBarros, William
 Dexter, Robert
 Doucette, George
 Durocher, Roland
 Eastwood, Harold
 Eldridge, Frederick
 Ellis, Irving

Ellis, Rufus
 Espindola, Albert
 Feio, Eugene
 Fortes, Julio
 Fournier, George
 Fredette, Osias
 Fryzel, Edwin
 Fuller, Maurice
 Gauthier, Omer
 *Gessinger, R.
 Giammalvo, James
 Giammalvo, Peter
 Gongola, Henry
 Graham, Edward
 Grew, George
 Guba, Louis
 Hardy, Ernest
 Hardy, Harold
 Hartley, Herbert
 Homen, Joseph
 Horrocks, Henry
 Horton, Charles

Hotte, Gerard
 Howland, George
 Hutchinson, Joseph
 Jason, Logan
 Johnson, Charles
 Karlin, William
 Karstein, Walter
 Kelly, Donald
 Koczera, Casimir
 Kucharski, Edwin
 Kydd, Collins
 Ladetto, Libro
 *Lawrence, Irving
 Lawrence, Raymond
 Linhares, Frank
 Marsh, Arthur
 *McMullen, David
 Menard, William
 *Mierzejewski, Raymond
 Moore, Ralph
 Moraux, Louis
 Morrow, Raymond

Motta, Frank
 Murdoch, Paul
 Murray, George
 Nerbonne, Raymond
 Oldfield, Thomas
 Palmer, Bryant
 Perks, Sidney
 *Perry, Richard
 Plaza, Mitchell
 Poole, Stanley
 Potkay, Eugene
 Raymond, Norbert
 Reed, Albert
 Reed, Robert
 Regis, George
 Richard, Ernest
 Ripley, Charles
 Robin, Wilfred
 Roderiques, William
 Rogerson, Roy
 *Rose, Albert
 Rudnick, Walter

Russell, Ellsworth
 Shorey, William
 Slowik, Fred
 Snell, Herbert
 Stringer, William
 Szocik, Henry
 Szwaja, Paul
 Szyndlar, Ferdinand
 Tavoularis, James
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CLASS PROPHECY

It's the year 1955 and here we are at the Stork Club. This is your old friend Richmond Frost acting as master of ceremonies for the reunion of the 1945 graduating class of New Bedford Vocational School.

I see seated at a table the former Claire Reardon with her husband Lieutenant Robert Williston and with them is that great band leader of our time George Cataldo with his vocalist, Colleen Thomas.

Standing at the bar is Robert Bertrand who now is the star pitcher for the New York Yankees, and also the coach of the same team Lionel Silva known to us as Leo.

Eugene Labonte, star back for Boston Yankees, accompanied by Marcel Burton and Norbert Raymond, who are now manufacturing the new deluxe airplanes, have just arrived in their newest model.

Just getting up from their table to dance are John McCoy and Gloria Hirst both now employed at the Ritzy Rhumba as a dance team.

In the far corner of the room is the Superintendent of nurses of the Queens General Hospital Olga Barboza and members of the staff including Dorothy Blake, Evelyn Sowa and Madeline Weigel.

Who do we see now but James Cox, the well known contortionist, and with him is Walter Gaj and Stephen Leon machine shop instructors for the new Vocational School.

We see Maria Rocha and Angelina Fernandes those two comediennes, Maria being well known for her laugh.

I can't quite make out who or what it is coming through the door but—oh, it's Raymond Janacek, the champion wrestler of New York state!

Driving up in his new Rocko-mobile is Harold McKnight the famous dare devil driver and with him is Katherine Lamos, newly elected congress-woman.

Seated near the dance floor is Phyllis Loomis, head of the commercial art studio in Hollywood and Stephen Popielarz a ship welder for the new super deluxe Walsh-Kaiser shipyard.

The star attractions of our floor show are those two well known tap dancers Mary Fortes and Angelina Pina and Rufus Paine, famous comedian.

Thomas Robinson, inspector for R. K. O. Television Plant, and Virginia Furtak, dietitian for the Hotel Astor, are seen entering the Club.

Well Paul Murray has lost his bashfulness and now is owner of the "Murray Machine Shop". He is with Eileen Beauregard, a posture critic at the Westminster Girls' School.

Entering the door is Dorothy Brown, now a star singer at the Metropolitan opera house, escorted by John Pollard operator of a machinists repair shop.

Seated at another table are some of our old friends who have gone a long way. They are Pauline Monteiro personal hairdresser of the

governor's wife, with Florence Hartley and Helen Weigel operators of the "Swank Beauty Shop" on Forty-Second Street.

Checking his hat is Otto Yehle now a candidate for Senator of New York.

We have over here a few girls including Jean Hewitt, Shirley Spooner, and Dolores Caesar all members of the "Young Mothers' Club".

Whom do I see entering but Wesley Lake and Dan Gabriel, cooperative Commercial and Architectural Artists well known for their lines of beauty and from the looks of their wives I can see where they got them.

I also see Carl Bittner who at last has been welded to a girl and it's none other than Frances Chace, dress designer for the Fifth Avenue Dress Shop.

Ruth Soule and Dorothy Palmer, who now manage their dress shops and are doing quite well, are seen dancing.

The new Speed King of the comic books has entered the room. He is Charles Alexander of the Voke 1944 track team.

Shirley Caron and Sally Machado, television artists for R. K. O. and Edwina Rolak, secretary to the mayor, none other than Henry Sawicki.

Jacqueline Brule, now a Power's model, is wearing a dress of fibre glass, and Dorothy Diggs an actress in the play "When Johnny Comes Marching Home," are entering the room.

Louis Arruda, the extravagant playboy has just come down from his penthouse in the adjoining skyscraper and with him is that well dressed "man about town," James Rego. Donald Gaudette now a fireman for the Chattanooga choo-choo is joining the crowd.

Entering the door are those two "Midget Auto Racing Drivers," Fred Boehler and Ralph Gurney and with them is Harold Goldstein, welder of broken bobby pins.

As the spotlight gleams around the room, we catch a glimpse of Anna Thornhill a famous tango dancer who nods at us as she glides by.

Manufacturers of the collapsible doll houses are Albert Jefferson, Ferdinand Szyndlar, and Edmund Arruda.

Now that all the guests are here the floor show is about to begin so this is Richmond Frost signing off for the class of 1945.

Anna Thornhill

Dan Gabriel



SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Campaigning and voting by the Australian ballot proved a valuable experience to the students of the Household Arts Dept. For the year 1944-45 this method was used to choose the president of the Student Council. Two Senior girls' names were nominated for the position of president and two Juniors' names were submitted for vice-president.

Phyllis Loomis was elected president and Harriet Maguire vice-president. Jean Hewitt was appointed secretary and Colleen Thomas, treasurer. Mary Fortes directed the sale of war stamps for the year. Laura Sylvia supervised the dances committees and social activities. Louise Taber did an excellent job of supervising the locker-room committee. Meetings were held every other Wednesday at which time scholastic problems were discussed by the presidents of each division who made up the Student Council.

Our first social project was the presentation of a Record Hop in October, for the benefit of the Athletic Association fund. It was very successful. At Christmas the Student Council sponsored the annual Christmas party, and to conclude our social activities, in April we presented a Talent Show and Record Hop. Admission was through the purchase of fifty-cents in war stamps.

The traffic squad, which is a division of the Student Council, was directed by Florence Hartly. An efficient system of traffic was begun and the co-operation of the students was encouraging.

One cent a week was collected from each girl. This money helped toward the Christmas party and Talent Show. \$7.80 were paid for new records. The remainder of the money in the treasury started a fund for a gift for the school.

Miss Kane, Miss Pawlak, and Miss Baker were the faculty advisers for the Student Council this year.

Phyllis Loomis, President.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Through participation in programs of the American Junior Red Cross, pupils apply their skills to, the production of materials which serve the welfare of others.

Articles for comfort, recreation and occupation that brighten the hours of those in camps and hospitals are made in many schools. Our own Junior Red Cross organizations, in both the boys' and girls' departments, have been active again this year in raising money which has been used in purchasing supplies for the production of many such articles. When completed, these contributions are delivered to the office of the local Red Cross Chapter and are then distributed to nearby camps and Veterans' Administration Hospitals. A new feature of our 1944 Christmas program was the reconditioning of eight hundred Christmas greeting cards. These cards were most attractive and were welcomed by the boys in the hospitals.

The most recent project undertaken by the members of the Junior Red Cross in the girls' department was the entertainment of the Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions Clubs at the school for their weekly luncheon meetings. The Senior cooking class and the 2b division under direction of the foods teachers served delightful luncheons in cafeteria style to the one hundred and thirty members of these Service Clubs.

The Canteen equipment borrowed from the local Red Cross Chapter gave an appropriate atmosphere to these occasions and provided an opportunity for the girls to become familiar with this emergency equipment which has been used many times in this vicinity for relief during disasters.

Because the Clubs were very generous, the net profit from these luncheons was \$115.00. Plans are being made to use this money for the purchase of record machines to be given to the Red Cross Recreational Departments in the station hospitals at Camp Edwards and Camp Miles Standish.



SPORTS



TRACK



Mr. Holt, Albert Martin, Thomas Moriarty, Alfred Ramos, Ernest Castonguay, Edward Jarosik, Armand DeSouza, Louis Guba, Roger Gaudreau, Charles Alexander, Paul Lynch, Lawrence Power.

Twenty-eight candidates answered Mr. Holt's call for track candidates in the Spring of 1944. From this number, Coach Holt selected 8 boys, and divided them into two relay teams; the quarter and half mile team, and the mile team. Charles Alexander was appointed captain. On May 20, the squad journeyed to Belmont and met Lexington, Saugus, and Swampscott in the Massachusetts State High School Relay Meet.

BASEBALL

	We	They		We	They
April 27—Durfee	1	10	May 19—Dartmouth	14	7
May 2—New Bedford	8	5	May 23—Fairhaven	3	0
May 3—Dartmouth	2	1	May 26—Taunton	5	0
May 9—Taunton	6	5	May 29—Fairhaven	8	3
May 10—Westport	12	1	June 1—Westport	4	6
May 12—Durfee	7	20	June 2—Durfee	3	13
May 17—Tabor	5	1	June 6—New Bedford	9	5
May 18—New Bedford	3	8	June 9—Attleboro	8	5

New Bedford Vocational School Baseball teams have been ranked high among the most powerful clubs in the county, and the year 1944 was no exception. Led by Captain Ernie Mierzejewski, and behind the fine pitching of Bob "Sharky" Bertrand, Jimmy "Lefty" O'Brien, and Paul "Poochy" Desjardins, the Trade nine racked up an impressive seasonal record of 11 victories and 5 defeats.

Our diamond forces placed four men on the All-County Team: "Ducky" Arruda, second base Joe Martin, catcher; "Sharky" Bertrand, pitcher; and Mike Bobrowiecki, outfielder.



First row—Austin Shroeder, James O'Brien, Herve La Joie, Fred Thornhill, John Medeiros.
 Second row—Camille Boyer, Louis Arruda, Lionel Silva, Chester Hudzik, Donald Deadcly, Ernest Mierzejewski.
 Third row—Mr. Mackintosh, Michael Bobroweiki, George Norse, Paul Desjardins, Robert Bertrand, Fred Dalzell, Stephen De Terra, Norman La Pierre, Stephen Bastoni, Frank Pietraszek, Mr. Quinlan.

BASKETBALL



Front row—Lionel Sylvia, Frank Pietraszek, Michael Bobroweiki.
Second row—George Cataldo, Arthur Grimley, Simon Palmeiri.

	We	They		We	They
Jan. 4—Dartmouth	41	9	Jan. 13—New Bedford	36	44
Jan. 6—Attleboro	35	33	Jan. 17—Taunton	31	53
Jan. 9—Durfee	38	55	Jan. 23—Coyle	43	42

As the 1945 basketball season started, all indications pointed to a very successful campaign. Veteran Frank Pietraszek was selected to captain the team. Seventeen games have been scheduled against some of the best competition in Southeastern Massachusetts.

No team is stronger than its reserves. In closing we would like to mention those fellows whose names seldom if ever appear on the lineups. It is those boys who, by their keen competition, force the regulars to keep on their toes and stay in top-notch playing condition.

Also, Mr. Mackintosh, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Holt, Mr. Quinlan, and Mr. Mulvey deserve a great deal of credit for their willingness to give untiringly of their efforts, so that our school will be well represented in any athletic contest.

FOOTBALL



First row—Paul Desjardins, Joseph Martin, Leonard Guilbeault, Thomas Moriarty, Gilbert Gosselin, Eugene Labonte, Lionel Silva, Marcel Burton, Edward Kachowski, Michael Babreiwicki, Art Grimley, Mike Noga.

Second row—Louis Anthony, Stephen Leon, Jerry Houston, Norbert Raymond, Red Brittain, Joe Codeiro, Theodore Turbak, Tony Esperance, Thomas Spencer, Henry Pimental, Dick Alfredo.

Third row—Mr. Wilson, Edwin Gould, George Talbot, Lennie Rocha, John Bindas, Jose Deciccio, Paul Gonneville, Walter Gaj, Mr. Mackintosh.

	We	They		We	They
Sept. 30—Taunton	2	6	Nov. 4—Durfee	0	19
Oct. 7—New Bedford	0	13	Nov. 11—Barnstable	19	0
Oct. 14—Fairhaven	0	7	Nov. 18—New Bedford	6	0
Oct. 28—Brockton	0	32			

Vocational School's 1944 gridiron representatives failed to show any of their potential power in early season games. However, once they snapped out of their lethargy, they proceeded to defeat Barnstable High, and then go on to upset New Bedford High, thus breaking a five year jinx held over Vocational football machines by our local rivals.

Leo Silva and Bud Labonte acted as co-captains. Guard Marcel Burton and End Mike Bobrowiecki earned positions on the Bristol County Team, while Leo Silva and Len Guilbeault received second team honors.

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